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Claims 1-45

(Currently Amended) 46. A video game system comprising:

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a TV signal interface/decoding device means for receiving and processing a TV signal including TV video signals encoded inserted with a video-game data-signal having no substantial visual interference to said TV video signals therein for displaying said TV video signals as regular TV video signals and also for decoding extracting and employing said video-game data signal to play a video game without interfering a display of said regular TV video signals.

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(Currently Amended) 47. The video game system of claim 46 wherein:

said TV signal interface/decoding device means comprising a TV interface means for connecting to a TV for receiving said TV signal encoded inserted with said video-game datasignal from a TV.

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(Currently Amended) 48. The video game system of claim 46 further comprising:

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a video game controller for receiving and processing said video-game data signal for allowing a video game player to control and play a video game on said video game system.

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Claim 49

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